

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 4-24-61. Consent—claimed by Farmers & Ranchers Cooperative. Segregated; 4,750 lbs. destroyed.

#### MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

27164. Barley (4 seizure actions). (F.D.C. Nos. 45033, 45034, 45035, 45036. S. Nos. 33-231/2 R, 35-999 R, 36-000 R.)

QUANTITY: 245 bags, containing a total of 24,626 lbs., at Brooklyn, N.Y.

SHIPPED: The article was delivered, on 8-25-60 and 8-30-60, to a ship pier at Brooklyn, N.Y., for shipment to Iceland.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was moldy. This condition developed following submersion in polluted river water, which occurred as a result of a storm on 9-13-60, which flooded the pier where the article was stored.

LIBELED: 10-31-60, E. Dist. N.Y.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained a decomposed substance while in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: 2-7-61, 2-8-61, 2-9-61. Default—destruction.

27165. Barley meal (5 seizure actions). (F.D.C. Nos. 45023, 45024, 45025, 45026, 45027. S. Nos. 33-236 R, 35-998 R, 36-127/9 R.)

QUANTITY: 525 bags, containing a total of 52,989 lbs., at Brooklyn, N.Y.

SHIPPED: The article was delivered, on 8-25-60 and 8-30-60, to a ship pier at Brooklyn, N.Y., for shipment to Iceland.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was moldy. This condition developed following submersion in polluted river water, which occurred as a result of a storm on 9-13-60, which flooded the pier where the article was stored.

LIBELED: 11-4-60, E. Dist. N.Y.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained a decomposed substance while in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: 1-18-61. Default—destruction.

27166. Rolled oats. (F.D.C. No. 45593. S. No. 58-920 R.)

QUANTITY: 137 cases, 12 2-lb. 10-oz. pkgs. each, at Green Bay, Wis.

SHIPPED: 2-10-61, from Minneapolis, Minn., by General Mills, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Red Owl Quick Cooking Oats \* \* \* Red Owl Stores, Inc., Distributor, Minneapolis, Minn."

LIBELED: 3-21-61, E. Dist. Wis.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent excreta pellets and rodent hairs when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 4-19-61. Default—destruction.

27167. Unpopped popcorn (2 seizure actions). (F.D.C. No. 45432. S. Nos. 67-254/6 R, 67-258 R, 67-260 R.)

QUANTITY: 57 cases, 24 1-lb. bags each, 31 cases, 12 1-lb. bags each, 19 cases, 12 2-lb. bags each, and 149 cases, 24 10-oz. cans each, at Fort Worth, Tex.

SHIPPED: Between 10-25-60 and 1-5-61, from Hugo, Okla., by Red River Valley Popcorn Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Bags and cans) "White Swan Brand Popcorn \* \* \* Waples-Platter Company, Fort Worth, Texas."

LIBELED: 3-20-61, N. Dist. Tex.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects and insect-damaged kernels when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 3-30-61. Consent—destruction.

27168. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 45605. S. No. 60-826 R.)

QUANTITY: 20 100-lb. bags at Huntsville, Ala., in possession of S. W. Tidwell Co.

SHIPPED: 12-15-60, from Stuttgart, Ark.

LIBELED: 3-24-61, N. Dist. Ala.

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DISPOSITION: 4-24-61. Default—destruction.

27169. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 44923. S. No. 1-417 R.)

QUANTITY: 47 cases, 24 1-lb. pkgs. each, at Dublin, Ga.

SHIPPED: Prior to 9-1-60, from Stuttgart, Ark.

LIBELED: 10-7-60, S. Dist. Ga.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 11-22-60. Default—destruction.

27170. Wheat. (F.D.C. No. 45404. S. No. 47-200 R.)

QUANTITY: 104,700 lbs. at Toledo, Ohio.

SHIPPED: 1-16-61, from Dundee, Mich., by Karner Bros.

LIBELED: 1-25-61, N. Dist. Ohio.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent excreta pellets when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 2-2-61. Consent—claimed by L. J. Schuster Co., Toledo, Ohio, and converted into animal feed.

27171. Wheat. (F.D.C. No. 45449. S. No. 44-936 R.)

QUANTITY: 96,000 lbs. at Spokane, Wash.

SHIPPED: 2-22-61, from Beach, N. Dak., by Fahlstrom Grain Co.

LIBELED: 3-14-61, E. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent excreta pellets when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 3-22-61. Consent—claimed by Cargill, Inc., and converted into animal feed.

27172. Wheat. (F.D.C. No. 43063. S. Nos. 22-058 P, 28-475 P.)

INFORMATION FILED: 5-19-59, Dist. Kans., against the Continental Grain Co., a corporation, Argonia, Kans.

SHIPPED: 12-11-58 and 12-17-58, from Kansas to Texas and Missouri.

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